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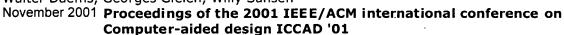
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This paper presents a new method to automatically generate posynomial symbolic expressions for the performance characteristics of analog integrated circuits. The coefficient set as well as the exponent set of the posynomial expression are determined based on SPICE simulation data with device-level accuracy. We will prove that this problem corresponds to solving a non-convex optimization problem without local minima. The presented method is capable of generating posynomial performance expressions ...

2 Session 1D: Analog macromodeling: Simulation-based automatic generation of signomial and posynomial performance models for analog integrated circuit sizing Walter Daems, Georges Gielen, Willy Sansen



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This paper presents a method to automatically generate posynomial response surface models for the performance parameters of analog integrated circuits. The posynomial models enable the use of efficient geometric programming techniques for circuit sizing and optimization. To avoid manual derivation of approximate symbolic equations and subsequent casting to posynomial format, techniques from design of experiments and response surface modeling in combination with SPICE simulations are used to gene ...

**Keywords**: analog circuit modeling, design of experiments, geometric programming, posynomial and signomial response surface modeling

Analog synthesis & design methodology: An efficient optimization--based technique to generate posynomial performance models for analog integrated circuits



Walter Daems, Georges Gielen, Willy Sansen

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This paper presents an new direct--fitting method to generate posynomial response surface models with arbitrary constant exponents for linear and nonlinear performance parameters of analog integrated circuits. Posynomial models enable the use of efficient geometric programming techniques for circuit sizing and optimization. The automatic generation avoids the time--consuming nature and inaccuracies of handcrafted analytic model generation. The technique is based on the fitting of posynomial mode ...

Keywords: geometric programming, performance modeling for analog circuits, posynomial response surface modeling

4 Clustering 2: Power balanced coverage-time optimization for clustered wireless



sensor networks

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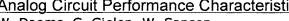
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We consider a wireless sensor network in which sensors are grouped into clusters, each with its own cluster head (CH). Each CH collects data from sensors in its cluster and relays them to a sink node directly or through other CHs. The coverage time of the network is defined as the time until one of the CHs runs out of battery, resulting in an incomplete coverage of the sensing region. We study the maximization of coverage time by balancing the power consumption of different CHs. Using a R ...

Keywords: clustering, coverage time, generalized geometric programming, sensor networks, signomial optimization, topology control

5 A Fitting Approach to Generate Symbolic Expressions for Linear and Nonlinear Analog Circuit Performance Characteristics





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This paper presents a novel method to automatically generate symbolicexpressions for both linear and nonlinear circuit characteristics using atemplate-based fitting of numerical, simulated data. The aim of the methodis to generate convex, interpretable expressions. The posynomiality of thegenerated expressions enables the use of efficient geometric programming techniques when using these expressions for circuit sizing and optimization. Attention is paid to estimating the relative 'goodness-of-fit ...

6 Computation: finite and infinite machines

Marvin L. Minsky January 1967 Book

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#### From the Preface (See Front Matter for full Preface)

Man has within a single generation found himself sharing the world with a strange new species: the computers and computer-like machines. Neither history, nor philosophy, nor common sense will tell us how these machines will affect us, for they do not do "work" as did machines of the Industrial Revolution. Instead of dealing with materials or energy, we are told that they handle "control" and "information" and even "intellectua ...

7 Advances in analog circuit and layout synthesis: Automated design of operational



transconductance amplifiers using reversed geometric programming Johan P. Vanderhaegen, Robert W. Brodersen

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We present a method for designing operational amplifiers using reversed geometric programming, which is an extension of geometric programming that allows both convex and non-convex constraints. Adding a limited set of non-convex constraints can improve the accuracy of convex equation-based optimization, without compromising global optimality. These constraints allow increased accuracy for critical modeling equations, such as the relationship between gm and IDS. To demons ...

**Keywords**: CMOS integrated circuits, operational transconductance amplifiers, reversed geometric programming

8 Cryptography and data security

Dorothy Elizabeth Robling Denning

January 1982 Book

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Electronic computers have evolved from exiguous experimental enterprises in the 1940s to prolific practical data processing systems in the 1980s. As we have come to rely on these systems to process and store data, we have also come to wonder about their ability to protect valuable data.

Data security is the science and study of methods of protecting data in computer and communication systems from unauthorized disclosure ...

9 Real-time shading



Marc Olano, Kurt Akeley, John C. Hart, Wolfgang Heidrich, Michael McCool, Jason L. Mitchell, Randi Rost

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Real-time procedural shading was once seen as a distant dream. When the first version of this course was offered four years ago, real-time shading was possible, but only with one-of-a-kind hardware or by combining the effects of tens to hundreds of rendering passes. Today, almost every new computer comes with graphics hardware capable of interactively executing shaders of thousands to tens of thousands of instructions. This course has been

redesigned to address today's real-time shading capabili ...

10 Geometric programming: a programming approach to geometric design

Alberto Paoluzzi, Valerio Pascucci, Michele Vicentino

July 1995 ACM Transactions on Graphics (TOG), Volume 14 Issue 3

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This article presents a functional programming approach to geometric design with embedded polyhedral complexes. Its main goals are to show the expressive power of the language as well as its usefulness for geometric design. The language, named PLASM (the Programming Language for Solid Modeling), introduces a very high level approach to "constructive" or "generative" modeling. Geometrical objects are generated by evaluating some suitable language expressions. Because ...

**Keywords**: design language, functional programming, generative modeling, geometric design, polyhedra, solid modeling, variational geometry

11 Algorithm 719; Multiprecision translation and execution of FORTRAN programs



David H. Bailey

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This paper describes two Fortran utilities for multiprecision computation. The first is a package of Fortran subroutines that perform a variety of arithmetic operations and transcendental functions on floating point numbers of arbitrarily high precision. This package is in some cases over 200 times faster than that of certain other packages that have been developed for this purpose. The second utility is a translator program, which facilitates the conversion of ordinary Fortran p ...

**Keywords**: multiple-precision computation, multiprecision arithmetic

12 Algorithm 812: BPOLY: An object-oriented library of numerical algorithms for



polynomials in Bernstein form

Yi-Feng Tsai, Rida T. Farouki

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The design, implementation, and testing of a C++ software library for univriate polynomials in Bernstein form is described. By invoking the class environment and operator overloading, each polynomial in an expression is interpreted as an object compatible with the arithmetic operations and other common functions (subdivision, degree, elevation, differentiation and integration, composition, greatest common divisor, real-root solving, etc.) for polynomials in Bernstein form. The library allow ...

**Keywords**: Bernstein bases, numerical stability, polynomial algorithms

Realistic materials in computer graphics: Realistic materials in computer graphics

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Hendrik P. A. Lensch, Michael Goesele, Yung-Yu Chuang, Tim Hawkins, Steve Marschner, Wojciech Matusik, Gero Mueller

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14 Complexity and expressive power of logic programming

Evgeny Dantsin, Thomas Eiter, Georg Gottlob, Andrei Voronkov September 2001 ACM Computing Surveys (CSUR), Volume 33 Issue 3

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This article surveys various complexity and expressiveness results on different forms of logic programming. The main focus is on decidable forms of logic programming, in particular, propositional logic programming and datalog, but we also mention general logic programming with function symbols. Next to classical results on plain logic programming (pure Horn clause programs), more recent results on various important extensions of logic programming are surveyed. These include logic programming wit ...

**Keywords**: Complexity, datalog, expressive power, logic programming, nonmonotonic logic, query languages

15 Abstracts from symposium

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Here follows many of the abstracts from the 8th International Mathematical Programming Symposium. Each author was invited to update his abstract following his oral presentation to include the latest ideas. The updated abstracts were used when available, otherwise the original abstracts were used. Where an abstract was modified by the editor, an (M) is included at the end. Where there are multiple authors to a paper, the one giving the paper is underlined and the address refers to that author.

16 GPGPU: general purpose computation on graphics hardware

David Luebke, Mark Harris, Jens Krüger, Tim Purcell, Naga Govindaraju, Ian Buck, Cliff Woolley, Aaron Lefohn

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The graphics processor (GPU) on today's commodity video cards has evolved into an extremely powerful and flexible processor. The latest graphics architectures provide tremendous memory bandwidth and computational horsepower, with fully programmable vertex and pixel processing units that support vector operations up to full IEEE floating point precision. High level languages have emerged for graphics hardware, making this computational power accessible. Architecturally, GPUs are highly parallel s ...

17 Geometric range searching

Jiří Matoušek

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In geometric range searching, algorithmic problems of the following type are considered. Given an n-point set P in the plane, build a data structure so that, given a query triangle R, the number of points of P lying in R can be determined quickly. Similar questions can be asked for point sets in higher dimensions, with triangles replaced by simplices or by more complicated shapes. Algorithms of this type are of crucial importance in computational geometry, as they can be us ...

**Keywords**: computational geometry, lower bounds in arithmetic model, partition tree, range searching

### <sup>18</sup> A programming language

Kenneth E. Iverson January 1962 Book

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#### From the Preface

Applied mathematics is largely concerned with the design and analysis of explicit procedures for calculating the exact or approximate values of various functions. Such explicit procedures are called algorithms or programs. Because an effective notation for the description of programs exhibits considerable syntactic structure, it is called a programming language.

Much of applied mathematics, particularly the more recent computer-related areas which  $\dots$ 

19 PRECISE: efficient multiprecision evaluation of algebraic roots and predicates for

reliable geometric computation

Shankar Krishnan, Mark Foskey, Tim Culver, John Keyser, Dinesh Manocha
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geometry SCG '01

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Many geometric problems like generalized Voronoi diagrams, medial axis computations and boundary evaluation involve computation and manipulation of non-linear algebraic primitives like curves and surfaces. The algorithms designed for these problems make decisions based on signs of geometric predicates or on the roots of polynomials characterizing the problem. The reliability of the algorithm depends on the accurate evaluation of these signs and roots. In this paper, we present a {\emptyre m naive ...

A real-time procedural shading system for programmable graphics hardware

Kekoa Proudfoot, William R. Mark, Svetoslav Tzvetkov, Pat Hanrahan

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Real-time graphics hardware is becoming programmable, but this programmable hardware

is complex and difficult to use given current APIs. Higher-level abstractions would both increase programmer productivity and make programs more portable. However, it is challenging to raise the abstraction level while still providing high performance. We have developed a real-time procedural shading language system designed to achieve this goal.

Our system is organized around multiple computation ...

Keywords: graphics hardware, graphics systems, rendering, shading languages

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